#### April 17, 2022 — Easter Sunday

St. Therese of Deephaven Catholic Parish

St. Therese Parish and School is a powerful Catholic witness, committed to vibrant growth by living out Jesus Christ's call to "Go and make disciples" (Matt 28:19) through our sacramental life, prayer, catechesis, fellowship, evangelization and financial stewardship.





## EASTER SUNDAY

The other disciple also went in, the one who had arrived at the tomb first, and he saw and believed. - Jn 20:8

Excerpts from the Lectionary for Mass @2001, 1998, 1970 CCD.

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#### **CLERGY**

Fr. Leonard Andrie, Pastor **Deacon John Allgaier** 

#### LITURGY SCHEDULE

#### Weekend:

Saturday: 8:00 am, 5:00 pm 8:00 am & 10:00 am Sunday:

#### Weekdays:

Tue, Wed, Thu, Fri: 7:00 am Wednesday 5:15 pm

#### **SACRAMENTS**

#### Reconciliation:

Wednesday: 4:45 to 5:10 pm 8:30 to 9:30 am Saturday:

4:00 to 4:30 pm

#### Baptism:

Call Liz Lammers, 952-473-4422, to schedule Baptism preparation class.

#### Matrimony:

Call Geri Korman, 952-261-0560, at least six months in advance to schedule wedding preparations.

#### **EUCHARISTIC ADORATION**

- Tuesday: 8:00 am to 6:00 pm
- Wednesday: 7:30 am to 8:00 pm
- Thursday: 8:00 am to 5:00 pm
- Friday: 8:00 am to 2:00 pm
- Saturday: 8:30 am to 10:00 am

#### **PASTORAL CARE**

For the sick, homebound, dying and bereaved, contact the Parish Office at 952-473-4422.

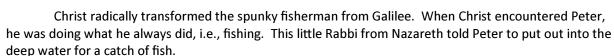
Emergency answering service for Anointing or funerals when office is closed: 952-473-4422 (option 6)

#### A Message from Father Andrie

#### Can I Get a Witness?

Many blessings to you and your families as we celebrate the Resurrection of Christ, who is our great hope and our great love.

Many of you likely have seen southern Baptist worship services that can be most lively. In moments of great jubilation, the minister says, "Can I get a witness?" "Amen, brother! We *praise* you, Jesus!" Can I get a witness? In our first reading, Peter says not once, but twice that he is a witness to all that Jesus said and did.



After a big catch, Peter followed Jesus and listened attentively to His words. Peter witnessed Jesus' miracles (e.g., healing the sick, casting out demons, and raising people from the dead). Peter was there in the commotion of the Garden of Gethsemane on Holy Thursday. Today, with John, Peter sees the empty tomb. And as we just heard, he ate and drank with the Risen Christ.

Peter, frightened during Jesus' arrest, now becomes courageous in proclaiming that Jesus is risen. He is willing to suffer ridicule, to be imprisoned and beaten for the truth that Jesus lives. According to tradition, Peter was crucified upside down in Rome, feeling unworthy to die as his Lord and Master. He bore witness for Christ to the end.

Throughout the centuries, God has given the Church thousands and thousands of saints – men, women, young, old, single, married, priests, and religious – with different ethnic and economic backgrounds who have borne witness to the infinite love of Christ.

- **St. Monica**: The mother of Augustine, never gave up on her son but shed tears for his conversion. God saw her tears and converted her son who became one of the greatest saints in the Church.
- **St. Maria Goretti**: Just 11 years old, offered her life to God, preferring to die rather than have her purity violated.
- **St. John Bosco**: Evangelized youth through juggling and games, and became a spiritual father to those who lost their parents.
- **St. Philip Neri**: Reformed the Church in Rome in the sixteenth century through his sense of humor and passion for Christ.
- St. Teresa of Avila: Reformed the Carmelite order through her spunkiness, charm, tenacity, and love for Christ.
- **St. Thérèse**: Reminded her sisters that you reveal Christ's love by doing little things with great love. By becoming little, Jesus can pick you up in His arms.

**Saints Louis and Zélie Martin**: The parents of St. Thérèse were witnesses to the Resurrection of Jesus in keeping God at the center of their family life through their acts of generosity, devotions, and self-sacrifices for one other.

**St. Mother Teresa**: Although just 5' feet tall, she was a *giant* in the way of love in serving the poorest of the poor.

**Blessed Carlo Acutis**: Born in 1991 and gifted in technology, built his own website with pictures of Eucharistic miracles around the world at age 11. The first millennial "tech teen" who passed away at age 15 reminds us that teenagers, too, can be saints!

Can I get a witness? In every age, God gives His Church saints who bear witnesses to the extraordinary love of Jesus Christ, and the great joy of serving Him in His Church.

The question is: will *you* be a witness? God does not choose extraordinary people, but ordinary people like you to do extraordinary things by His grace and His love. He wants to use your personality, your strengths, your weaknesses, your gifts, and your heart to witness that Jesus Christ is risen from the dead. Be a witness that Jesus Christ is risen

Jesus is Risen! and your heart to witness that Jesus Christ is risen from any and that life with Him is a great adventure!

As I have said before: it's a *great time* to be a saint! It's a great time to be a witness! Thousands and thousands of ordinary men and women down the centuries have done it. And *you* can too! Be a witness for Jesus Christ risen from the dead by your words, joy, hope, and generous love. Christ is Risen! Happy Easter! ~St. Thérèse, pray for us!

**Goldy bearing witness:** "Why do you seek the living one among the dead? He is not here, but he has been raised." (Lk 24:5-6)



Eucha	ristic Litur	gy Calendar	and Intentions: streamed on our website		<b>Upcoming Events</b>
Monday	4/18		Chapel closed at this time	April 19	Church History Study
Tuesday	4/19 at DW		†Roger & Helen Kass †Bill Boerner	April 23/2 April 24	24 ICA Collection Weekend Divine Mercy Sunday 2:30pm Confessions &
Wednesday	4/20	8:00am	Tony Pyle For the people of Ukraine & Russia The Shaughnessy Family	April 29	to 4pm Adoration 3pm Sung Chaplet St. Therese Gala
Thursday Friday	4/21 4/22		†Tom Yates The Winter Family	May 3 May 5	Church History Study St. Elizabeth's Book Club The Girl with 7 Names
Saturday	4/23		Joe and Maggie Schiltz Ruth & Jim Colnar	May 6 May 7 May 7 &	Family Fun Night Plant Sale Pick-Up Community Caring for Life
Sunday *Restreamed at noor			For the People †Peter Stolz	May 8 May 7 May 8	Flower Sale Wine & Cheese Hospitality Coffee & Donuts Hospitality
		Readin	as for the Week	1	• ,

#### Readings for the Week

#### Readings for the week of April 17, 2022

Sunday: Acts 10:34a, 37-43/Ps 118:1-2, 16-17, 22-23 [24]/

Col 3:1-4 or 1 Cor 5:6b-8/Jn 20:1-9 or Lk 24:1-12 or, Lk 24:13-35

Monday: Acts 2:14, 22-33/Ps 16:1-2a and 5, 7-8, 9-10, 11/Mt 28:8-15

Tuesday: Acts 2:36-41/Ps 33:4-5, 18-19, 20 and 22/Jn 20:11-18
Wednesday: Acts 3:1-10/Ps 105:1-2, 3-4, 6-7, 8-9/Lk 24:13-35
Thursday: Acts 3:11-26/Ps 8:2ab and 5, 6-7, 8-9/Lk 24:35-48
Friday: Acts 4:1-12/Ps 118:1-2 and 4, 22-24, 25-27a/Jn 21:1-14
Saturday: Acts 4:13-21/Ps 118:1 and 14-15ab, 16-18, 19-21/Mk 16:9-15
Next Sunday: Acts 5:12-16/Ps 118:2-4, 13-15, 22-24 [1]/Rv 1:9-11a, 12-13, 17-19/

Jn 20:19-31

#### Remember in Your Prayers

Kailey Giancola, Erik Soderlund, Dillon DuPonte, Treffle Daniels, Louise Burton, Christopher Daniels, Ruth Colnar, Marisa Zarate, Michael Scott, Bill Ashenbach, Richard Morton. To be included in requests, you or a family member should call the parish office, 952-473-4422. Names will be shown at least 30 days or as space allows.



Go to www.st-therese.org for parish updates on Confession and Adoration. Livestreaming of Mass and Rosary videos available on our website.

#### **ARTICLES/INSERTS/ANNOUNCEMENTS**

To have something printed in the body of the bulletin, please submit the article 10 days prior to publication. Inserts are forms or flyers with information that will not fit in the body of the bulletin. Please submit inserts 5 days prior to publication. To have a pulpit announcement made during weekend liturgies, please submit it by noon on the Thursday prior to announcing. Submissions may be emailed to Mary at mdobson@st-therese.org.

#### Deacon John's Note

#### His Resurrection Defines Our Faith and Hope

On the first day of the week, the third day of His Passion, Jesus Christ rose from the dead. His resurrection defines our faith and separates Christianity from all other religions. No other religion even claims that God became man, let alone that He would die and rise from the dead. Other religions may have strong leaders, but all of them ended in death. Jesus is the only one to conquer death through His Resurrection.

The Resurrection was so mind-blowing that even the disciples and the apostles didn't believe it until they saw the risen Jesus themselves. It completely shattered their concept of life. In the whole history of humanity, death was the greatest fear. Death was conquered by the Risen Christ. It completely changed our lives forever. The Resurrection gives us great hope for our own eternal salvation. We share in the Resurrection of Jesus. No longer are we limited to our time on earth, but rather have the great hope of eternal life!

No single event has had such a profound impact on our lives. The Resurrection is the foundation of our faith and hope. That is why Easter is the greatest day of the year. Life without Easter ends with our death. Easter changes everything. Happy Easter!



#### St. Therese Catholic School



#### **Early Learning Center**

Spring is finally here! The **Zebras** couldn't be happier! We have been putting our vibrant rainsuits and rain boots to use each week by splashing in puddles, stomping through the mud, or playing in the creek in the gully after I has rained. We are learning about the importance of rain as it helps things grow. We are discovering what is needed to plant and maintain a garden; identifying the tools used, and different kinds of

plants. We hope to grow our own flowers and grass shortly. It will be so much fun seeing and being an



active part of this process! In addition, the Zebras recently joined other classes at St. Therese in tree sap activities, such as helping to gather sap and boiling syrup. Then we enjoyed some tasty pancakes! Who knew learning could be so sweet?!





The Early Childhood Program at St. Therese is a fun and enriching place to be! Want to join the fun? Contact: Jo Ellen Begalke at 952-261-0587 or on-line at jbegalke@st-therese.org or Emily Rohla at erohla@st-therese.org.

#### **Faith Formation**



#### From St. Therese Faith Formation

Thank you for supporting our mission and praying for the faith journeys in this parish! Know of our prayers for you during this Easter Season.

Financial Stewardship										
March 2022 COLLECTIONS		March 2022 Actual	٨	March 2022 Budget		Variance	iscal Year to Date Actual	Fis	cal Year to Date Budget	Variance
Sunday Envelope & Electronic Gifts	\$	119,326	\$	118,800	\$	526	\$ 1,110,277	\$	1,069,200	\$ 41,077
Sunday Plate	\$	3,563	\$	2,033	\$	1,530	\$ 28,081	\$	18,300	\$ 9,781
Total	\$	122,889	\$	120,833	\$	2,056	\$ 1,138,358	\$	1,087,500	\$ 50,858

Sunday giving keeps the lights on, pays for repairs, and funds all ministries and operations. Thank you for your continued generosity to our parish community.

#### **Parish and Community**



#### Banns of Marriage

Second Proclamation

Lori Wegler and Martin Wellens

ICA Collection Weekend is next weekend, Saturday, April 23rd & Sunday April 24th

Please bring items to the Gathering Space

	CUF	RENT NEE	DS
	• Tissues	Paper Towels	Deodorant
	Baby Wipes	Olive Oil	Bar Soap
и	Napkins	• Tea	Dish Soap
и	Adult Diapers	Toilet Paper	Laundry Soap
и	Cat Litter	Coffee	Wet Cat/Dog Food
	Conditioner	Shampoo	Keurig Cups
	Toothpaste	Baby Food	· Cereal (Hot & Cold)
	Pull Ups	Diapers (Size 5)	

#### **Women's Spring Social**

Sponsored by St. Martha's Circle on Sunday afternoon May 22nd from 2-6pm. Includes the play "Escape to Margaritaville" at Old Log Theatre and a Social afterwards. The cost is \$35 and reservations can be made in the church office by May 2nd. Questions contact Ellen Driscoll at 612-839-2537 or Paulette Marini at 952-938-5652.

#### **Open Positions**

St. Therese Parish & School is hiring for several positions:

- Coordinator of Community Life
- Youth Minister
- Assistant Principal

Third Grade Teacher

Full job descriptions and how to apply are found on our parish website and the archdiocesan careers page.

Why Western Civilization? Thurs., April 28, Holy Family, St. Louis Park Presented by Arthur Hippler, Chairman of the Religion Department at Providence Academy & adjunct professor in St. Paul School of Divinity at the University of St. Thomas. Schedule: 5:00 Social Hour, 6:30 Dinner, 7:00 Program, 8:45 Evening Prayer. Cost: \$10, Free for guests, clergy, students and unemployed. Sponsored by the St. Joseph Business Guild - RSVP at sjbusinessguild.com

Worldwide Marriage Encounter Weekend, May 6-8, Buffalo, MN

Bring back the honeymoon in your marriage with this retreat. One husband said, "It felt like a honeymoon... I couldn't wait to get home and see her at the end of the day." See twincitieswwme.org; early registration advised.

#### A Note from Arts & Environment Regarding Easter Flowers

Because of several factors, our Easter flowers are not traditional this year. Many of our suppliers said they would sell us lilies and the regular spring plants, but they warned us that they would probably die within a week. We wanted to be good stewards of your donations, so our Easter flower decorations are different, but beautiful.





Thank you,
Archbishop Hebda
for leading our
Stations of the Cross on
March 25th and joining us
for our Fish Fry! The Lynch
Twins and baby Bruns were
so excited to meet you!

#### **Parish Staff & Phone Numbers**

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**Parish Office Hours** 

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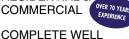
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